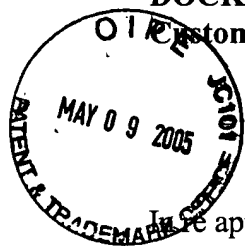


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant respectfully requests a one-month extension of time for filing a response to the final Office Action mailed January 4, 2005 (and Advisory Action mailed April 11, 2005). The response period is presently set to expire on April 4, 2005, and if this Petition for Extension of Time is granted, the new response date will be May 4, 2005.

A check in the amount of \$620.00 is enclosed for the Notice of Appeal filing fee (\$500.00) and one-month extension fee (\$120.00). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Davis Munck Deposit Account

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